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IN VARIOUS PARTS IN ADVANCE.

MILWAUKEE:

SATURDAY MORNING, JUNE 12.

The Mar Superior.

The members of the Milwaukee Bar held a

festival at the Newhall house, on Thursday evening last, which deserves to be commemorated.

To those who know and can appreciate the ad-

mirable qualities of that hotel, it is needless to say, that the feast spread before the Bar, on that evening, was, in all respects complete.

But the intellectual entertainment was of even better

quality than the feast.

About sixty gentlemen

participated in the festival; the Bench, as well

as the Bar, being fully represented.

JONATHAN E. ANSON, Esq., the President of the Association,

and one of the oldest, ablest, and most honored

members of the Milwaukee Bar, presided at the

festival. Judge MILLS, of the U. S. Court;

Judge SWARTZ, of our Supreme Court; and Judges

MCNAUL and TAIN, of our Circuit and County

Courts, responded in turn, to sentiments appropriate to the occasion. The members of the Bar vied

with the occupants of the Bench in eloquent

address.

While so many spoke well, discussion

is difficult, if not impossible.

And yet we

cannot refrain from saying, that Mr. COOKE,

the Secretary of the Association, and a recent

accession to our Milwaukee Bar, made one of the

very happiest speeches we ever remember to

have heard.

It was alike admirable in matter

and manner.

We hope to publish a full report

of the proceedings; but, for the present, we

must content ourselves with saying that it was

among the most attractive entertainment we

have ever attended in Milwaukee, and we will

indulge the hope, that when they next meet,

we may be there to see, hear and report.

For the National.

MILWAUKEE: Land Investments.

Milwaukee, June 10th, '58.

MESSRS. EUROPE.—I am in the position of

several persons in this State, who, by the exer-

cise of self-control in former years, saved a few

hundred dollars, and invested our savings in the

purchase of M<sup>r</sup>. & M<sup>r</sup>. R. R. Stock, thinking

my money was safe and earning a certain

remunerative interest. But alas! no dividend

has been paid since January 1857, and to our

dismay the shares are quoted at *After costs* on

the dollar in the New York papers. The cur-

rengage of the road for April in this year, has ex-

ceeded \$70,000, over \$20,000 more than the

same month of last year, yet this employee of

the road have not been settled with for several

months, and the small stockholders know nothing

of the position of the road.

Your paper, Mr. Editor, has the greatest cir-

culation of any paper in the State, and you would

confer a great favor on a very numerous and lo-

terered class, could you give me a reliable state-

ment of the financial condition of the road?

I am, in addition, that I never had any inter-

est, direct or indirect, either in the North-East-

or North-Western Land Grants, and never

have owned any stock or bonds, of any of the

corporations who own or have owned them.

The Committee state that I procured the in-

action of B. F. Moore's name, as a director in

the charon of the Wisconsin &amp; Superior Com-

pany. It is true that I used my influence for

the insertion of Mr. Moore's name, and also of

Mr. Joseph Tamm's name. I did so because

those gentlemen lived on the land of the North-

Eastern Grant, because they were largely inter-

ested with the public. Fond du Lac, Menomonee

and Monona, in the disposition of the Grant,

because I was urged by many persons similarly

interested to do, and because I believed that

it would be fit.

The best comment on my action in doing so, is the fact disclosed by the

Committee, that in the disposition of stock by

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John FITZGERALD.

A man of high character, and excellent business tact, who

have themselves invested largely in the enter-

prise of which they have the control. What-

ever can be done, to make that enterprise value-

able to the State and remunerative to the stock-

holders, we are confident they will do.—Ed.

Sentinel.)

WATER GAS.—An eminent German chemist

has announced the discovery of a process by

which the water may be decomposed, and the

carbureted hydrogen formed at a little more than

nominal cost, with unerring certainty, and in

practically an unlimited quantity. The gas so

produced is said to possess illuminating power

far exceeding that of ordinary coal gas, and is

capable of producing, in the act of combustion,

an amount of caloric so as to constitute an

economic substitute for coal in the generation of

water steam, for the propulsion of boats and lo-

comcoines. The peculiar value of this pro-

cessed discovery or invention is said to be the low

cost at which the gas can thus be produced.

AMERICAN COURTS.—The Paris correspondent

of the New York Commercial Advertiser says it

is reported that several American Courts have

been made in this way: The Pope not being

able to furnish a certain railway for lack of money,

ordered the title of Court to every foreigner who

would subscribe a sum of two thousand dollars

to the road. The required sum was soon ob-

tained, and a few more noble families were soon

to follow.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT CLINTON.—The Deleau-

Nethers say that the Clinton House, at Clinton,

was destroyed by fire on the morning of the

7th, together with out-buildings and a smoke-

stack. The wind was high at the time, and

from the time the fire was discovered, until the

building was entirely consumed did not occupy

the space of 20 minutes. Loss not less than

\$10,000.

FIRE AT PRINCE DU CHIEN.—From the Prai-

rie du Chien Leader, we learn that the Franklin

House, kept by Mr. GALE, at that place, was de-

stroyed by fire on Tuesday last. The wind was

strong, and the building was very speedily con-

sumed.

MAN DROWNED AND MAIL BOAT LOST.—The

Deleau Nethers of the 9th, contains the fol-

lowing:

SAD ACCIDENT.—We regret to learn that Mr.

Wm. Thompson, of the Lake Erie, Dredge Lake,

was drowned Saturday evening last.

He attempted to cross the lake in his boat.

The wind was high, and he was unable to

keep his boat from being driven ashore.

He was lost in the lake.

The body was recovered.

The boat was found.

The mail bag was lost.

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